

## FAIRHOLME SCHOOL



# Pupil Premium Additional Funding for School



***Register your child now!***

The Government gives money to schools to help children from lower income families to do their very best. This funding is called a 'Pupil Premium'. The money is allocated for children who receive Free School Meals – BUT – your child may still choose to have packed lunch if that is what you prefer.

### ***Registering is quick and easy***

**1. Check if you qualify**

You can register your child if you are in receipt of any of the following benefits:

- Income support
- Income-based Job-seeker's Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration And Asylum Act 1999
- The Guarantee element of the State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit and annual income of less than £16,190, but not in receipt of Working Tax Credit

**2. Complete the Application Form** for Free School Meals – if you do not have a form, please ask for one at the school office.

**3. Return the form to the school office.**

**4. If you would like your child to have a free, healthy meal at lunchtime**, that's great – they will get the free meal, saving you more than £350 per year.

**5. If you do not want your child to have the free meal, that's fine;** they can continue with packed lunch as normal.

*No one will know that you have registered as the school keeps this information confidential, and it will not affect any other benefits that you are claiming.*